



"We only have to do a small  
bit today and tomorrow and  
the next day to look up one  
day and find we have  
accomplished something  
unthinkably huge."

-Cindy Rollins



# Chapter 10



## Write the Word

One thing I love doing in our homeschool is have each of our children write the Word of God. There is a fantastic resource called Journables and these are beautiful hard back black bound journals for each book of the Bible and some of the smaller books are combined, or huge books like Psalms are split into 2 Journables. I let all my children pick a Journable for the year and they write a few verses each day. I too pick a Journable and write right along side them. I've found The Word of God sticks in my heart different when I write it while reading it.

Our time together in The Grind will be spent studying the life of Peter and how Jesus at times painstakingly ground Peter to refine him into the Peter the rock. In these 12 weeks of studying Peter through the lens of homeschooling we will grow and get to know Peter and his character in new ways. While I was writing these devotionals for The Grind it just so happened (more likely the Lord planned) that my Journable was on the books of James, 1 Peter, 2 Peter, 1 John, 2 John, 3 John, and Jude. I found myself writing out the words of Peter while studying the life of Peter for The Grind and the experience was so sweet. I felt like I met Peter in an all new way and was able to connect word that Jesus spoke to Peter that you can see have affected who Peter becomes later in life.

I wasn't originally planning on having a Write the Word section in The Grind, but I knew after experiencing it for myself that I needed to add this section for all of you to enjoy writing The Word of God and the words of Peter so that you can grow in this way too. Perhaps this is your first time writing the Word of God, I pray this experience is sweet for you and you find hiding His Word in your heart through writing to be a refreshing experience. For others of you this is something you already do on a week by week basis in which case I pray you enjoy this time of studying the life of Peter while writing his words too.

Writing the Word doesn't require a ton of time each week, in fact if you write just 14 verses a week you will write all of 1 and 2 Peter in the 12 weeks of The Grind. You can write a little each day or save it and write it all in one sitting - you do whatever you want, make it your own, and enjoy the time of Writing the Word.